IAP6 Rec'd PCT/PTO 20 JUL 2006

DOCKET NO: 293590US0PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

REINHOLD J. LEYRER, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION

SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLICATION

(BASED ON PCT/EP05/001231)

FILED: HEREWITH

FOR: AQUEOUS POLYMER

DISPERSIONS CONTAINING

AMPHIPHILIC BLOCK

COPOLYMERS, METHOD FOR PRODUCING SAID DISPERSIONS

AND THE USE THEREOF

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination of the application, please undertake the following changes in the claims:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.